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FOOD RESTRICTIONS

An extra issue of the Canada Gazette, bringing into effect the order-in-council regulating eating places, was published last week.

The order-in-council, passed at the request of the food controller, prohibits the serving of beef and bacon on Tuesdays and Fridays, and at more than one meal on any other day. Substitutes, such as corn bread, oat cakes, potatoes, etc., must be provided must be provided at every meal at which white bread is served. The use of wheat in the distillation or manufacture of alcohol is prohibited, except for manufacturing or munition purposes, and then only after obtaining a license from the food controller.

Heavy penalties are provided for violation of the regulations. Proprietors, managers and employees of public eating places are liable under summary conviction for the first offense, to a penalty not exceeding \$100 and not less than \$25 and for each subsequent offense to a penalty not exceeding \$500 and not less than \$100, or to imprisonment for any term not exceeding three months, or to both fine and imprisonment.

Any person violating any of the provisions regulating the use of wheat in the distillation or manufacture of alcohol is liable upon summary conviction to a penalty not exceeding \$5000.

SCHOOL OPENING

The Vulcan school will reopen on Monday 27th inst., at 9 a.m.

The staff this term is composed of Mr. Howes, principal and teacher of senior grades; Miss Travis intermediate; Miss Farr junior, and Miss Jarrett primary.

The school has been renovated heating apparatus and ventilation improved, and more desks and seats installed.

The trustees invite all interested to visit the school on Saturday or Sunday, 25th and 26th, to see that the comfort of the pupils has been considered.

Visitors are requested to close and fasten gates when leaving.

Mr. W. Pratt, general superintendent of the sleeping and dining car department of the C.P.R. has issued instructions that no young meats, such as early spring lamb, veal, young chickens, or squabs will be supplied. Fresh roasts must not be used every day. Cold meats must be used up in some form without waste. Fish is to be served freely according to the kind most plentiful in the section operated. Butter and lard must be avoided as much as possible in cooking.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Bowie returned last Friday night from their honeymoon trip to Vancouver, Seattle and Victoria.

ITEMS OF LOCAL INTEREST:

Mr. and Mrs. Morton and Mr. and Mrs. Peter Beardsley left last Thursday for a trip to Vancouver.

The British people, in the army and out, need our entire surplus. They need more—they need part of what we usually consume.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. T. Shaw last Friday twin daughters.

Bob Gove was a visitor to Calgary last Monday.

If you can't be a fighter, don't be a waster.

Mr. E. M. Hollister is one of the farmers harvesting on a large scale this fall, having about fifteen binders in the field, eight of which are being pulled by his large caterpillar tractor.

Mr. Bob Dodds and Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Pettman were visitors to Calgary over Sunday and Monday. Mrs. Dodds is still at the hospital but doing very nicely, and their son is the best baby in the country Bob says.

'Buy perishable food and eat plenty of it—but don't waste it.'

Mr. T. Shaw spent Sunday with Mrs. Shaw and twin daughters at Calgary.

Miss Davis and her mother left last Tuesday for Colorado Springs for a few week's holiday.

Veal has been barred from the tables of hotels in the United States.

Miss Gertie Rutten returned last Sunday night from her vacation at Banff.

Miss Hall, formerly of the Bank of Hamilton staff, left on Monday night for Calgary.

The American corn crop is reported favourable from a majority of the big surplus producing states.

Mr. and Mrs. Stowell and Mr. A. G. Spooner spent the first of the week at Calgary.

Mrs. J. W. and Miss Johnston, of Calgary, visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. L. Jacques last week-end.

It is better to go to bed with the chickens than the owls.

Miss Gryston, of Calgary, is back at the Bank of Hamilton.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. John Tagget, Lake McGregor, last Thursday, a son.

Mr. W. D. McKenzie is holidaying at Medicine Hat this week.

'Economy puddings' and 'economy meat pies' are the latest forms in which food is served in certain fashionable households. Plain foods are growing into favour again the world over since the war.

A wise spinster says it's better to be laughed at because you are not married than not to be able to laugh because you are.

'Step Lively' at the Vulcan Opera House tonight. The company comes well recommended by all the opera house managers, and will be well worth attending. Reserved seats for sale at the Drug Store.

A heavy hail storm running from High River to the Valley and about 68 miles wide hit yesterday afternoon and did a lot of damage. Vulcan district had a heavy rain and some hail.

The baseball boys are leaving tonight for Calgary to take part in the baseball tournament. Here's luck.

Walter Mays has completed a nice verandah in addition to Jack Johnston's residence. Also a roomy root house.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Jim Steen last Sunday night a girl.

Miss J. Cook and Miss E. Bickford were visitors at Banff.

Mrs. O. A. Craig is visiting with friends at Grassy Lake.

Big Labor Day dance in the I. O. O. F. Hall on September 3rd. Tickets \$1.00.

'The children of Belgium, are crying for food. Serbia has been over-run by the enemy. Half of Roumania is occupied. Much of France is laid waste. Ten nations of the word are on rations. Sixty million men are withdrawn from production for war service. To feed the Allied armies and nations, the men and women of Canada must pledge themselves to maximum production, the elimination of waste, and the largest possible consumption of perishable foodstuffs', says Hon. W. J. Hanna, Canadian Food Controller.

FARM AND RANCH LANDS

When threshing reports begin to come in and show an average wheat yield on some farms of 35 bushels to the acre—in a year when there was some alarm regarding poor crops—it surely points to another big years' business in land sales. The stockmen are equally prosperous, and it looks as though there would be all kinds of money in the country to be expended by those who wish to increase their holdings while war time prices are prevailing.

The long-headed farmers are putting their crop and stock money back into land. They know what it can produce for they have experienced the prosperity which is the tangible proof of its fruitfulness. Most of the up-to-date farm and grazing land men are getting their names before the farmers and preparing for the big doings which will assuredly come after the crop is off. Farmers do not buy land like a woman does a piece of goods at a bargain sale—they take their time about it, and the dealer who keeps his name before the farmers will be the one who will get the business.

Crop reports from districts where they are cutting, and the few points where threshing has been under way, are very encouraging. The recent splendid weather has filled the grain out and will have a very beneficial effect on the grade and the yield.

Stockmen are equally pleased with the weather as it will mean better feed. Some late grain that was looking pretty sick a short time ago, has now taken a spurt and will make splendid grain feed. With hogs, cattle and sheep, the splendid prices which they are now bringing for anything that shows killing class at all, there is every inducement for a man who has a little money to spare and some extra feed to get in some stock stuff and be ready for a good market which is almost a certainty later on.

Before marriage it's spoon. After marriage it's fork-over.

What's the use of getting married and supporting a woman for life when you can buy a talking machine for twenty dollars?

THE STAFFS EDITORIAL

The editor will be back this week-end, and will give the readers of the Advocate a real newspaper again next week. The devil and angel have been having a h— of a time since the editor left. We have been kept quite busy turning tin lizzies, gas engine, cylinder press and clipping editorials. The angel meanwhile has been very faithful sticking up type for us. Last week we tried to wear out all the type-writer ribbons rewriting clipping from exchanges, but this week we cut the comedy and simply used the editors pocket knife. Should the editor not return this week we shall be up against it as we broke his pocket knife cutting a newsy item out of the Okotoks Review, (Page 3). It came to us very promiscuously at this moment that we probably owe some of our worthy readers an apology for not publishing the name of that young gentleman who was seen by us last week west of town, etc. Well, he didn't come across with that sub. but he bought us a 5c cigar and a glass of Two-per-cent and we called the whole thing off. If there are any more guilty ones around town and they feel as though they should do something to square themselves they might bring ice cream—the staff like frozen cream.

In 1915 and 1916, Manitoba lakes produced 48,000,000 pounds of fish, 75 per cent of which was exported to the United States. For 9,000,000 pounds of whitefish the fishermen received on the average 5 cents a pound. In some Canadian cities Manitoba whitefish sells at 15 cents a pound more. The Food Controller for Canada is arranging to reduce the wide margin between fishermen and consumers.

Mrs. Bancroft, of Vancouver, is visiting with her son A. C. Bancroft east of town.

Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Harper left on Monday night for Cochrane.

Clarence Blaxall spent last Thursday and Friday in Lethbridge. 'Tinny' says there are a lot of beautiful women in that city, and is trying to get there more frequently.

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VULCAN TOSSERS TRIM LETHBRIDGE 6 TO 3

Webb's Pitching All to the Good—Lund Pitched Nice Ball for Lethbridge

Vulcan went, saw and conquered in their baseball match with the Lethbridge team at Eckstorm park last Saturday night. The result of the score was 6 to 3. Webb was on the hill for Vulcan and he lived up to his reputation. Lethbridge garnered about two safeties off his delivery during the seven innings, and they came at a time when they were worth recording. Roger Lund pitched for Lethbridge and he wasn't lading out extra hits either. Vulcan gathered six off his delivery during the game.

Vulcan scored two in the first. Roger was wild and threw eight balls in succession, filling the bases and forcing in a run. In the third Vulcan added three

more on a couple of hits and some boots.

In the fifth after Bond had struck out, C. Gillis pickled the first safety, a Texas leaguer over over third. Lund got a life on a boot by Lapp. Lund stole when the catcher's throw went over second, C. Gillis scoring on the play. Schweitzer beat out a slow grounder, Lund going to third, Schweitzer stole. Dunsworth came up and poked out one of those timely hits of his, Lund and Schweitzer scoring. Gillis forced Dunsworth at second. Green popped to Webb. Three runs. That ended the scoring for Lethbridge.

In the seventh Vulcan scored another. They got a man on third, and with a man on first they pulled off a delayed steal. Lund lost his head and threw to second, the runner scoring from third.

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R. W. GLOVER MANAGING EDITOR

THE GRAIN BOARD'S DECISION

Recently we stated editorially that the Grain Commission Board had been given the biggest job yet delegated to any group of men in Canada, namely, 'the safeguarding of the interests of both the producer and consumer and at the same time over-seeing that the carrying charges from one to the other are fair, and also wisely protecting the disposal of our surplus grain.'

The Board has made its first move by fixing the maximum wheat price Fort William basis for balance of the present crop at \$2.40 per bushel to take effect August 1st. When this news was flashed over the wires of Western Canada it created quite a furore among farmers largely because of what we are now informed was a wrong interpretation of its meaning. The general impression was that 'present crop' naturally meant the 1917 crop, but we are informed by H. W. Wood, President of the U.F.A., and one of the members of the Board, that the price fixed only covers balance of the 1916 crop. In Mr. Woods' statement to the press, among other things, he says:

'Recent indications were that the remainder of the 1916 crop was going to be used for gambling purposes which would serve two distinct purposes; one was to benefit a few gambling manipulators, the other was to unsettle the price of all wheat products as well as of wheat itself.'

'Our board did not believe that any legitimate interest would be benefitted thereby; but, on the contrary that legitimate interests would be injured.'

'So, with the one purpose in mind of stopping a gambling campaign in the 1916 crop, we fixed a maximum price of \$2.40 per bushel for that remnant of the 1916 crop only, this price, of course, on a basis of No. 1 Northern, Fort William.'

'The probabilities are that this will serve the purpose of a flat price, as this remnant will probably sell right around that place. It is a very strange thing that the press reports have come out to the effect that we fixed a maximum price on the crops of 1917 1918 and possibly 1919, as it has been clearly understood by those in touch with the situation that our board could not deal with any future crop until we got into co-operative touch with the American legislation dealing with that board has not yet been completed.'

'The probabilities are that this board will be in shape to co-operate with us in a few days, and then the matter will, no doubt be taken up and dealt with. It is impossible to foretell what action will be taken, as it is evident that our board can come to no conclusions until that time and we come into touch with the American board.'

'In regard to the 1918 and the 1919 crops, we have not seriously considered those. But we will do so when we get in shape to take the matter up. In the meantime, we can consider general principles only. And, it seems to me, that the correct logic of the situation would be that a price should be put on wheat that would sufficiently stimulate production to bring out the greatest amount of wheat that can be produced practically; and that when the price is high enough to give this stimulus to production, it should go no higher.'

'We will have to find the common meeting ground between the producer and the consumer. And, it is evident to me, that that ground is right where we reach the price that will stimulate the highest practical production.'

'The army that runs out of bread first is the army that will be defeated. The price of bread is not vital to the allied forces. Bread is vital them. The price fixed for wheat must stimulate its production. But the price fixed for wheat must not be graft.'

'I believe that it is the unanimous spirit of this board to do exact justice to the producer, to the ordinary consumer and to the

allied armies. It is not an easy problem to solve. But I have implicit faith in this board using its very best endeavors to serve all interests.'

'Personally I do not see just how we are going to make this stimulation of production effective unless we announce a price for the 1918 crop. You will please strictly bear in mind that we have no direct control over any product except wheat and other grains, but you will also bear in mind that if we had let a few gamblers take the price of the remnant of the 1916 crop of wheat up to \$3.00 or \$4.00 per bushel, we would have been the indirect cause of flour going to a very unreasonable price.'

The above is along sane lines and bears out our expression of faith stated in a former editorial that the board would certainly be able to cope with its duties in a satisfactory manner.

The big question really is to stimulate production to the highest, possible, practical point without unnecessarily increasing the price to the ordinary consumer and allied armies. That means first, assuring farmers far enough ahead of a profit sufficiently large that they can and will make special provision for extra large acreage; second, eliminating graft and gambling profits and, third, holding down carrying charges as low as consistent with satisfactory service.

The farmers' business is a most hazardous one at best, weather, labor, prices, etc., all being unknown factors. Fixing a maximum price, therefore, is not sufficient assurance. There would also require to be a minimum price or some other agreement made that would prevent the likelihood of farmers as a whole losing out after putting forth special effort. With so many practical men on the board that part, we feel, will be carefully looked after.

Bread is the great munition and we are pleased to note the spirit in which the board has begun its work.

The world's coal supply has been seriously affected by war conditions combined with labor troubles coincident with this terrible war. Great Britain, one of the greatest coal exporting nations, is 15,000,000 tons short; France lacks even more, and the coaling of Allied warships on our Atlantic coast along with the entrance of the United States as a belligerent are all disturbing factors in the fuel situation. Coming nearer home the situation is intensified by the fact that owing to the recent deplorable Western coal strikes some 200,000 tons have already been lost from this year's production with the result that prices are being advanced at the mines from 50 cents to \$2.00 per ton.

The great demand for iron ore for the manufacture of munitions and the scarcity of bottoms on the Great Lakes has necessarily meant that a much smaller quantity than usual has been delivered at the head of the lakes for western consumption. This however, is partially being remedied now.

In many cases railway companies are not able to get their supplies from their regular sources so are being forced to haul further which takes more cars and fuel.

The Federal government, we feel, is largely responsible for not grappling with this important matter earlier. We are at war and western farmers have rightly been exhorted to increase production and yet in too many cases the real power required to do this has, shall we say, been withheld from them through negligence on the part of the only group of men vested with authority to cope with such conditions and from whom farmers have every right to expect real assistance in completing their contribution towards the relief of humanity in this world's crises. This reminds us somewhat of that incident in the earlier life of the race, 'making bricks without straw'. Farmers are undoubtedly supplying the real sinews of war and in the performance of this most necessary duty coal to the western farmer is as essential as food. The one he can produce, the other he has reason to expect will be furnished him so long as he can pay for it.

This coal shortages is hindering development in many lines, but the point we wish to emphasize particularly at this time is the need of arranging for your winter's supply of fuel as early as possible. So as to conserve what coal is available for localities where it is the only fuel practicable we advise, yea, strongly urge, all who can to make use of any other satisfactory fuel they can secure. Those who can get wood should do so and city and town dwellers who are favored with natural gas should make use of it to its full capacity.—Farm and Ranch Review,

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In certain districts a homesteader may secure an adjoining quarter-section as pre-emption. Price \$3.00 per acre. Duties—Reside six months in each of three years after earning homestead patent and cultivate 50 acres extra. May obtain pre-emption patent as soon as homestead patent on certain conditions.

A settler after obtaining homestead patent, if he cannot secure a pre-emption, may take a purchased homestead in certain districts. Price \$3.00 per acre. Must reside six months in each of three years, cultivate 50 acres and erect a house worth \$300.00.

Holders of entries may count time of employment as farm labourers in Canada during 1917, as residence duties under certain conditions.

When Dominion Lands are advertised or posted for entry, returned soldiers who have served overseas and have been honourably discharged, receive one day priority in applying for entry at local Agents Office (not at Sub-Agency). Discharge papers must be presented to Agent.

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be lost through lack of the labor
necessary to secure it. That har-
vest is required for the susten-
ance of the men fighting the bat-
tle of civilization and humanity
in every theatre of war; it is
necessary also for the sustenance
of our own population and the
people of all allied nations. The
time during which the harvest
can be gathered is very brief; the
necessary labor must then be
available, for the work cannot
be performed at any other time.

Food shortage faces the world
and the safety of the Empire
may depend upon the successful
gathering of Canada's crops.
some of the sources of supply of
harvest labor which in previous
years we have been able to draw
upon, are not now available and
a shortage of such labor is, there-
fore, inevitable.

Your National Service card in-
dicates a willingness to assist in
emergencies. Your services are
now needed. The question on
the said card regarding a possible
change of occupation contem-
plates that it should be at your
present rate of pay. This, under
the circumstances, cannot be
guaranteed. Farmers, however,
are paying up to \$2.50 and \$3.00
per day and board for help this
season. Possibly you are entitled
to a vacation. If so, you may be
able to devote such period to
farm work, and thus render help
without any serious self-denial.

While, therefore, the present
call for National Service may in-
volve a sacrifice, you are invited
to consider the fact that thou-
sands of Canadians are today
submitting to untold discomforts
risking their health and yielding
their lives in the great struggle
in France and Flanders for a re-
muneration of \$1.10 per day. It
is not given to everyone to be
able to serve at the front. Those
who cannot do so, however, may
find some small consolation in
helping the cause at home, real-
izing that any sacrifice thus in-
volved could never measure up

to those daily made by the men
in the firing line.

A considerable volume of labor
unskilled in farming, can be uti-
lized at this season of the year.
Every man who is accustomed to
manual labor and most of those
who are physically able to, prac-
tise out-of-door sports, will be
quite capable of rendering useful
services in the harvest fields. In
this time of national stress our
appeal is to men of all classes
that for a great national purpose
they shall give temporary aid in
harvesting our abundant crops, a
portion of which will otherwise
be lost. All classes are now sol-
diering and performing the hard-
est sort of manual labor at the
front.

All the way from the Rocky
Mountains to the St. Lawrence
River the need for harvest help
is acute. The Government of
Ontario has opened up Labor
Bureaus in various centres in
that province. Help there is
needed at once. Through the
press the requirements of west-
ern Canada will be made known
as soon as the Provincial author-
ities of Manitoba, Saskatchewan
and Alberta are able to estimate
the volume of labor needed.
There will thus be no difficulty
experienced in finding an oppor-
tunity for useful service.

It is, of course, possible that
you are already doing essential
national service in your present
work. Whether or not you can
spare a limited time from this
occupation to assist in harvesting
Canada's crop is a question which
must be left to your own decision.
If you feel you should not, or are
physically incapable, or cannot
for family reasons undertake to
assist, possibly you can influence
a substitute.

Dr. W. J. BODDY

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(Continued.)

Hilary led up unconsciously to what the Squire had to tell him about the Souths. He had asked first for the Egertons, talking of Dolly with a slightly conscious air, as though he were a little in love with her. It irritated the Squire, who was never irritable, especially with Hilary. He had a feeling that Dolly was somehow the centre of a tragedy. At another time he would only have laughed. Hilary was incurably sentimental—always in and out of love. It never seemed to affect his happiness or his disposition.

He answered curtly, to the golden youth's amazement. Hilary said nothing, only glanced at his cousin's profile in the half-light, wondering what had put him out. He had been so invariably sweet-tempered in Hilary's experience of him.

"After all," the boy went on, "I am more concerned with Margaret. Why doesn't she write to me? I've written to her; but she has not answered me. What is happening about the Souths?"

The Squire told him. He was very glad the news was no worse to tell. He himself had implicitly accepted Mr. Langton's explanation. The Souths were lying perdu for a time—to escape old Gilbert's brutality, and give the poor woman a chance of having her health patched up. It was not so dreadful to tell.

He had not anticipated how Hilary would take the tale of Margaret's ill-treatment. He was surprised at the boy's passion. Hilary raged and almost sobbed. Only the consciousness of the groups sitting at the other tables kept his emotion under control.

"Her poor little arms," he said. "I remember now how she winced and cried out when I clasped her wrists. To think I should not have known!"

The Squire left him to his emotions. Trains will not wait for belated travellers, and he must get the 8-15. He had a terror lest something dreadful might happen in his absence. As he stood up and went in search of his waiter he was wondering what Hilary would think if he knew how the Souths had retreated into the background of his life. He remembered Langton's firm lips. A man to guard and keep the women he cared for. While he had talked to Hilary he had had a vague sense of terror of he knew not what that might be happening in his absence to his own sweetheart, his poor, pretty Dolly, who had none to guard her but he.

Hilary drove with him to the station; it was not very far. The Squire was thinking his own thoughts, as they drove along the Embankment to Westminster Bridge, with the lighted clock-tower high in the sky. Hilary had apparently forgotten his evening parties. He was wondering if he should find Mr. Langton at home if he were to take the taxi on, very likely, the Squire thought, unless Langton was dining out or at his club. He had a vague passing wonder as to how Langton would receive the boy, who seemed to think that he had only to ask for Margaret's address to be given it.

But he was too much occupied with his own thoughts to heed what Hilary was saying, beyond a feeling of wonder that the youngster seemed to think he had a right.

CHAPTER X The Plover's Call

Coming out of Silverdale station, the Squire struck off into the fields—not on his way home, but the way that would take him to the New Cottage. He felt that he had to see all was right there; Dolly sitting reading by the shaded lamp, or playing the piano with fingers somewhat spoilt with housework, or occupied with the child. She had been in the family circle of evenings since the day's death. If he could assure himself with his own eyes that she was there and safe he could go home contentedly to bed, pushing away for a time at least that sense of menace which had followed him to London and come back with him.

He had picked up a number of papers casually from the bookstall at Victoria, just before it was closed. Lionel Egerton often grumbled at the absence of a bookstall from Silverdale station. They would make his excuse for coming if any were necessary. Perhaps none was needed. He had come and gone pretty well as he would of late.

He knocked at the door of the New Cottage. Through the little window of bottle-ended glass at the right-hand side of the porch he caught sight of a blurred blue and green, which must be Mrs. Egerton's gown. She always dressed for dinner, however simple the meal was, although her husband sat down in his tweeds or flannels or whatever he chanced to be wearing.

The door opened to his knock. It

was Lionel Egerton who opened it. He and Mrs. Egerton were the sole occupants of the room. No Dolly! For some reason he could not explain, his heart sank, heavy as lead. He said to himself that he had known she would not be there. He had known it all the time.

He was no good at dissimulation. He could not sit down and talk indifferently, waiting for Dolly to come in from the other part of the house. Of course she was in the house. Probably with the baby upstairs, or in the kitchen doing something, or other, or in the dining-room.

He laid down the papers on the little table by Mrs. Egerton's side. It was too late to stay, he said, with that curious new uneasiness upon him. There was a book for Miss Egerton, a new volume of poems about which he had heard her express curiosity.

"Oh, Dolly," said Mrs. Egerton. "She has deserted us again and gone back to her cottage."

"She is working at some sketches of Susan for a Christmas number. Awfully jolly things, you must see them. She prefers her loneliness when she is busy," put in Lionel Egerton.

"To our society," said Mrs. Egerton, with a little laugh.

"Oh, come, Louise," said Lionel Egerton rather shamefacedly. "Poor Dolly. I fear she thinks herself in the way here, with Darby and Joan. She would never be that, poor little girl, but she's sensitive. I'll come over with you to the cottage, Meyrick. She'll be pleased at your remembering her; it's very kind of you."

"Please don't go, Leo," Mrs. Egerton put in hastily. "You know I don't like to be left alone at night."

"Oh, I forgot, Louise has a nervous fit. Just imagine, Meyrick, she's in a funk about old Keeper. She won't look out of the staircase window as she goes up to bed lest she should see his ghost out there in the dark."

"He did not like me," said Mrs. Egerton, with a little shiver.

"Doll doesn't mind the ghosts a bit. You know about the little woman in the shawl who is always turning up there. Not many girls would care to live with such a house-mate."

It was on the Squire's lips to say that no girl should be asked to live in such loneliness. But, after all, he knew nothing. Probably there was a quiet happiness for Dolly in the Old Cottage, and he did not suppose there was really anything in the story of the little woman in the shawl. Dolly often said odd things, with a certain wry humor in the expression of her lips which told that she would have been merry if she was a little happier.

"I will leave the book," he said, taking it from the table where he had put it down.

Egerton came outside with him and they stood a while talking.

"I was unwilling for Doll to go back to the cottage," he said apologetically. "But I thought it was best. She and I were once all in all to each other. It is very hard on the one who is left in those circumstances. I am sure I should have hated Dolly's husband—unless he'd been no end of a good fellow."

Through the gap in the privet hedge they could see the light of Dolly's lamp. After all, what reason was there to be afraid? Dolly was practically within earshot of the New Cottage. What could happen to her? The light from the open door shone out across the grass wet with dew. All the sounds and scents of a summer night were out of doors. From the copse on the hill a night-jar trilled melodiously; and a late blackbird disturbed the nests with his "Good-night now!" drawled with Impish persistency. Beyond the boundary hedge of the garden were the fields, fields enamelled these days with drifts of little blue flowers—the Squire had noticed that in part the fields were rather blue than green—blue flowers and white and golden, and the deep soft grass between. Beautiful fields they were that stretched away to the hill; park-like fields, studded with spreading oaks and thorn-trees, the grazing-ground for a few cattle, deep-breathing, velvety creatures that moved softly through the quiet night.

(To Be Continued.)

The Rural Church and the Farm.
Another great need of the country is diversion. People who handle the plough need to have something to think about. They have many hours to think. That he may not be a pessimist or a false philosopher, that he may not con over evil thoughts and fill his mind with wrong and inhuman sentiments is for the church to have a care. The pulpit must not think it beneath its dignity to organize play festivals, and the minister must not be ashamed to wear motley, if by so doing he can bring a better and a nobler spirit into the countryside. The tedium of country life is unsocial. It is against the welfare of the State. It is bad for the heart and for the soul.—Dr. Warren H. Wilson in *Breeders' Gazette*.

What's in a Name?

As perhaps you have noticed, much of the best fighting in the world has been done by Maudes, Percys, Clarences and other gentlemen whose names sound effeminate to red-blooded shipping clerks and assistant bookkeepers.—Chicago Tribune.

"Why did you give that awful looking tramp a dime?" "Oh, merely as a small contribution towards city improvement. He wanted it for carfare to the next town."

Building With an Object

Policy Back of the Construction of the Canadian Northern Railway is Shown

What appears to be new light upon the policies back of the construction of railways in Canada, is furnished in a paragraph in the last annual report of the Canadian Northern Railway issued recently.

This paragraph deals with the handling over the rails of the Canadian Northern of some 132,000,000 bushels of grain destined chiefly for the feeding of the Allies overseas, and runs:

"Inasmuch as many of the security-holders invested their funds in the company's undertakings, believing that the heart of the Empire would some day need to draw upon the wheatfields of the Canadian West, it is with pride that the directors present with these figures, illustrating the extent to which the 'prairies' have been opened up, made productive and the produce marketable by the company's railways. There were probably few who thought that the crucial necessity would come so soon; but, having come, it must be considered fortunate that the Canadian Northern System and the country tributary to it were sufficiently developed to take an important part in supplying the Empire's food requirements."

Twenty years ago a new epoch commenced in Canada, and also apparently in the Mother Country. In the "Tight Little Isles" across the Atlantic, earnest minds were occupied with the problem of feeding the people of Britain, a problem that would be a very sober fact in the event of that country being involved in hostilities with any European power of the first class. The policy seems to have been arrived at then, to rely upon the power of the British navy to keep the seas open for the passage of cargo vessels, and also to rely upon the opening up of vast areas of wheat lands in suitable localities overseas, in order that an adequate supply of food products be produced to fill the holds of the ships for the people of Great Britain for all time to come.

Towards the close of the century, the people in the west began to clamor for rail facilities for their vast areas without railways lying to the north of the Canadian Pacific, and therein lay the cause of the origin of the Canadian Northern Railway System in 1896. Apparently the ability to grow wheat of the country it proposed to open up, and the backing of the people of Manitoba granted the enterprise, were sufficient inducements to the men directing the surplus gold of Britain, and the funds necessary to complete the initial construction were readily forthcoming. Until the commencement of hostilities in Europe in 1914, British gold continued steadfast, and as the Canadian Northern extended its network of lines throughout the Prairie Provinces, before reaching out with its easy grade lines to the seaports on the east, and on the Pacific, a steadily increasing supply of wheat was moved out from the territory cultivated for the first time by the settlers who had poured in hard upon the heels of its construction gangs.

During 1915, when Canada harvested the largest crop in the history of the country, and incidentally the most valuable, the yield along the lines of the Canadian Northern in the west was enormous, and from this territory came the 132,000,000 bushels of grain that were handled over the lines of the system during 1916 as outlined in the company's annual report.

But the effect of the investment of this British gold in the Canadian Northern Railway is not confined to the production of food-stuffs transported across the Atlantic to feed the war-occupied nations of Europe. Every settler by the lines of the railway, has been a customer for the goods produced in the industrial establishments in eastern Canada, in the United States, and in Europe. It would be almost impossible to compute the number of the army of workmen who have drawn their wages in this indirect way from the western wheat bin, and no figures have been compiled to show the extent and value of the business provided the manufacturers of eastern Canada by the opening up of that vast western market. As the prospects of peace become brighter, the expectation that there will be a movement from abroad to the fertile lands of western Canada greater than anything the country has yet experienced, is growing into a fixed belief on the part of Canadians generally. Should it develop, this potential development—made possible solely because the railways have furnished a network of lines serving the lands which will be developed by the incoming tide of humanity—will add enormously to the new business of the industries in Ontario and Quebec, and new armies of workmen will be engaged upon the task of supplying the needs of the western people.

British gold—and since the war, American gold—has been the means of facilitating a great deal of the development in Canada in other ways, but there can scarcely be any doubt that its greatest achievement in this country, has consisted in the furnishing of the funds for the building of the railways opening up unpeopled territories within the Dominion. For, upon the development of those territories hinges a great deal of the prosperity of all the people in Canada.

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The Meaning of "Lafayette"

In reply to a request from a subscriber, who asked for the meaning of the name of the senator from Wisconsin who headed the "pacifists" at Washington in opposition to the United States defending itself against the warfare of atrocities carried on by Germany, the New York Herald says:

"Lafayette in French means, literally 'the little foolish one,' and is frequently used to describe a woman who is half-witted."

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"Yes," consented the parent, and she cautiously followed her first-born upstairs. There Robert was kneeling by his bed, and his mother heard him say:

"Dear Lord, if You ever wanted to help a little fellow in trouble, now's Your chance!"

The whipping was indefinitely postponed.—New York Times.

The Princess Pats

The West Can Claim Some Distinction in This Connection

Ottawa announces that the Princess Patricia's regiment is officially declared as belonging to the Ottawa-Kingston military district. That appears to be about the coolest piece of man-stealing the department has put over yet. Hitherto Alberta battalions have been broken up to supply men to fill the slackers' gaps in units claimed by towns scattered all the way from one ocean to the other, and drafts have been taken from Edmonton to enable Ottawa and Kingston to have the credit of being represented by units overseas.

But this seems to be the first instance in which a battalion has been stolen intact and put to the credit of a district having no shadow of claim to it. It is the more notable that the battalion in question has been longer at the front than any other Canadian unit, has suffered more, and has come to be the most widely known for its exploits. Montreal supplied the colonel and western Canada the men for the original Princess Pats! Alberta contributing more men than any other province. Reinforcements have been recruited among the students at universities from McGill westward to Alberta, to which Ottawa university and Kingston may have contributed contingents but not disproportionately large ones.

On the face of it, therefore, if this regiment is to be allocated to any particular district Alberta has by all odds the rightful claim, and of all possible competitors the Ottawa-Kingston district has just about the least pretence of a claim.—From the Edmonton Bulletin.

No Friend Remaining

The Central Empires have finally cut themselves off from the sympathy, if not from the official comity, of every civilized people under Heaven. Mankind averts its face from Germany and her wretched accomplices; and their groaning populations, sunk in such misery as no European community has known within living recollection, are now to feel that in all the world they have no friend remaining, no powerful peacemaker to whom they can appeal no quarter to which they can look for sympathy and help in the task of living down, when the conflict ends, the frightful record of their directors of policy and warfare.—London Daily Telegraph.

Point of View

Willis—Pleasure is all in the point of view.
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"The success which has attended the issue of Canadian fish rations to the troops in the home forces is regarded as strong evidence of the soundness of the proposition put forward by the empire resources development committee for a large increase of fish supplies from the Dominions. The experiment by the military authorities was made apparently by the allocation of cold storage facilities at Liverpool. The rations were extremely popular, and it is stated that arrangements have been made to repeat it weekly."

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Local frosts have been reported in parts of the district in some places it has damaged the potato vines. I wonder what about the wheat.

At the Red Cross meeting on Thursday last it was decided to send away for a \$100 worth more of goods, it shows what we can do now once we have commenced.

Mr. and Mrs. Farrel, Mr. and Mrs. Trotter, Mr. Bowlus, and the Misses Alma and Avis Greer, Bowlus, Chalmers, Trotter and Fredell were all visitors to Cayley on Thursday last and enjoyed the Chautauqua immensely the only regret seemed to be that they could not see more of this charming company.

School reopens at Blackie on August 20th.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Wilson are the proud parent of a fine young daughter.

Mrs. Tom Hatcher returned home on Saturday last.

Miss Anna Reed, of Mazeppa, spent the week end, the guest of Mrs. Roebuck.

Mr. Tom Callaghan returned home on Tuesday from a short visit to his old home in Ontario.

GOING TO THE CEMETERY

A town that never has anything to do in a public way is on the way to the cemetery. Any citizen who will do nothing for his town is helping to dig the grave. A man that curses the town furnishes the coffin. The man who is so selfish as to have no time from his business to give to town affairs is making the shroud. The man who will not advertise is driving the hearse. The man who is always pulling back from any public enterprise throws bouquets on the grave. The man who is so stingy as to be howling hard times, preaches the funeral, sings the doxology, and thus the town lies dead from all sorrow and care.

Prohibition in British Columbia, it is said, will be an assured fact on October 1st. This statement is based on the report of the commission which investigated the taking of the vote of the soldiers on the question of prohibition. Booze is being banned in almost every direction, and John Barleycorn is almost a dead one.

In one of the dry towns down the line, the express agent called the doctor on the telephone, with a smile clear across his map said. 'Hello Doc. Say can you send around and get that express, the box of books?—they're leaking.'

Love is like a game of cards. He calls her 'queen'. She calls him 'king'. He gives her a diamond. After marriage she can't get a ten spot out of him. Clubs are trumps, she begs, he hands her a straight and raises the deuce.

The girl's father coming down stairs at night in pyjamas, wearing heavy boots, is a sign you should say good night.

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TO GO AFTER BRANDING CHARGE

A campaign is to be started by the members of the Calgary Live-stock Exchange to have the iniquitous discriminatory branding charge of 10c a head which is soaked on the farmers and stockmen of Alberta removed.

At the last meeting of the exchange the president, E. Wade, was appointed a committee of one with full and unlimited powers of action to take whatever steps he thought best to have this assessment removed. The eminent success which has attended Mr. Wade's efforts in regard to the sending charges and also in conducting the negotiations regarding the new stockyards pro-

posals before the city council would incline to the hope that in this instance he would also produce results.

Already he has taken steps to get in touch with members of the legislature, and has secured the promise of the support of Fred Davis, M.P.P., for Gleichen, Dr. J. G. Rutherford and other prominent stockmen of the province have also promised to support the contention of the commission men that the charge is an unfair one.

Monday, Aug. 27, at Shimps, 'House of Golden Windows', featuring Cleo Ridgley and Wallace Reid. The first time these stars have appeared in films at Vulcan.

Harvey School District No. 1597

Tenders for the following work: laying of floor in school house, 22 x 32; building of platform in front of school, 16 x 8; and painting of school and outbuildings with two coats of paint. Contractor to supply all materials. The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted. For further information apply to F.C.C. Andrews, Sec-Treas. 3-31

WANT AD COLUMN

FOR QUICK SALE—Young mare with soft, splendid driver. Apply Advocate Office.

FOR SALE OR HIRE—1 team of strong mules. Apply to the Advocate.

LOST—Elgin Watch in nickel case, on Thursday last. Liberal reward to finder. A. M. Ferris, Vulcan. 4-1t

STRAYED—One red cow, few white spots, from Headly ranch, branded on left rib and on left rump. \$10 reward. Cow has short stub horns, and was milking when left. J. S. Smith, Vulcan, Alberta. 3-3t.

WANTED—Position by licensed chauffeur and gas tractor man, good references. Please state make and model of tractor and wages paid in replying. Henry H. Ramsey, 220, 11 1/2 St. N.W. Calgary. 3-3t

FOUND—Overcoat, owner can have same by paying for this advt. 3-tf

Fred A. Bilton will load hogs on the 29th of Aug. for any information see Harry Noel, at the hotel, or R.E. Dodds at his livery barn. 3-2t

ESTRAY—From Rosebud district, 2 mares and 2 gelding branded 9g on right thigh, one sorrel mare branded 19 on left hip; 1 black mare and 1 sorrel horse branded MY on left shoulder; 2 black geldings, 2 years old, and 1 black gelding, branded Ag on hip. Reward for information. Apply George Gow, Rosebud Creek, Alberta. 2-8t

NURSE—Fully qualified nurse is desirous of obtaining cases. Terms moderate. Apply Mrs. E. W. Winger, Vulcan.

FOR SALE—1 motor cycle in good condition, fully equipped, inquire of Pete at Imperial Hotel. 45-tf

W. J. ELLIOTT, Blackie, owner of cattle with the following brands:

EE VE LE
left rib. left thigh left thigh
Any information regarding any of the above cattle will be thankfully received. 41-tf

Anyone seeing horses bearing this brand on right shoulder are asked to report whereabouts of same to Arthur Mitchell, Vulcan, Alberta.

Vulcan Market Report

Spring Wheat, No. 1	2.19
" No. 2	2.16
" No. 3	2.11
Rejected No. 1	2.07
" No. 2	2.04
" No. 3	1.99
Oats, No. 2 C.W.	.61
" Extra No. 1 Feed	.58
" No. 1 Feed	.55
" No. 2 Feed	.53
Barley, No. 3	1.04
" No. 4	.97
Feed	.87
Flax No. 1, N. W.	2.95
" No. 2 C.W.	2.92
" No. 3 C.W.	2.70
Rye	1.60
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Butter	.35
Hogs	.15
Dressed Hogs	.18

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For calendar and further particulars, communicate with Hon. Duncan Marshall, Minister of Agriculture, Edmonton, or W. J. Stephen, B. A. B.S.A., Principal School of Agriculture, Claresholm.

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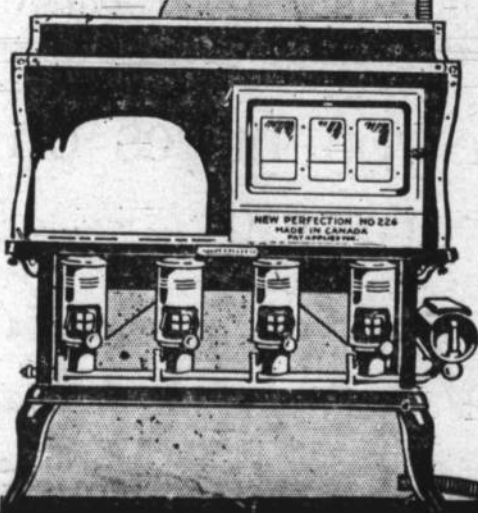
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